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Madam

IN THE MATTER OF International Patent Application No. PCT/AU2003/000664 in the name of ANTHONY KHOURI
Our Ref: TNB:MAF:FP18993

We refer to the written opinion dated 13 May 2004 and we lodge herewith a statement of proposed amendments in which clarifying amendments are made to the specification and claims. The specification has been retyped, and a copy of the specification illustrating the amendments made is enclosed to assist in the amendment.

We look forward to receiving a preliminary examination report on the amended application.

Yours respectfully

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